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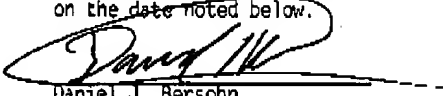
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This is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed
July 14, 2004, the term for response to which expires on
October 14, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1-10, 15
and 16 are canceled; claims 11 and 12 are amended; and claims 13
and 14 are maintained.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.